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KURZ, CRAIG AND KLOCKO FROM BLAKE.

PART I FOR KURZ.

REP IS MADE TO YOUR QUERIES DURING MY VISIT TO YOUR BUSES ON

14 SEPTEMBER 62.

INTERCEPT TASKING OF YOUR FACILITIES INVOLVED IN CUBAN PROBLEM HAVE

BEST EXAMINED AND THE FOLLOWING CAN BE STATED:

(A) ACHIEVE THE REQUIRED REPORTING

CAPABILITY, LOCAL INTERCEPT CONTROL RESPONSIBILITIES WILL BE

INCREASED, ALTHOUGH THE DEGREE OF CONTROL MUST BE REGULATED TO

PRECLUDE DUPLICATION OF COVERAGE AMONG YOUR FACILITIES, ASA, AFSS

FACILITIES ALSO TASKED WITH CUBAN TARGETS. ALSO, THE

OPNS OFFICERS CAN

EMPLOY NSA-CONTROLLED POSITS ON TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY UP TO

24 HOURS WITHOUT NOTIFYING THIS AGENCY CONTINUE TO BE EFFECTIVE.

(B)

CUBAN IS CONTINUING

ON A AND PATROLY PATS. THE PRESENT POSITION WHEN ATTACHED BY

RELEASING OFFICER

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TO:

ADDL EQUIP ALREADY ON ORDER, WILL DOUBLE OUR PROCESSING CAPABILITY
AND WILL ALLOW FOR THE TIMELY CUBAN
INTERCEPT. TO ALLOW FOR THE CURRENT PROCESSING EXPERT, EQUIP AND
PERSONS WERE DIVERTED FROM OTHER HIGH PRIORITY TASKS TO ENABLE THIS
PROCESSING OF THE CUBAN TAKE AS EXPEDITIOUSLY AS POSSIBLE AND
PROVIDE YOU WITH TIMELY TECH SUPPORT. ACTION TO FORWARD APPROPRIATE
COLLATERAL INFORMATION HAS BEEN EXPEDITED. YOUR RECOMMENDATIONS
ON HOW THIS PROCESSING CAPABILITY CAN BE ENHANCED OR TECH SUPP
IMPROVED WOULD BE MOST WELCOME.

(C) THE HIGH PRIORITY GIVEN TO THE CUBAN PROBLEM WITHOUT
INCREASED AUTHORIZATIONS FOR PERSONNEL HAS STRAINED THE SIGHT COMPATIBILITY
IN TERMS OF RESOURCES AVAIL FOR DIVERSION AGAINST THIS TARGET. THE
NSC HAS RESPONDED ADMIRABLY TO THIS HIGH PRIORITY TASK. WE LOOK
TO YOU TO CONTINUE TO PROVIDE A STRONG ELEMENT OF LEADERSHIP IN
SECURING MOST EFFECTIVE UTILIZATION OF RESOURCES ALLOCATED TO THIS
REQUIREMENT. THE CLOSE LIAISON WITH CINCINNATI MAINTAINED BY
DIRECTORATE OF INTELLIGENCE AND NSA REPRESENTATIVES WILL ENABLE US, THROUGH
THEIR RECOMMENDATIONS, TO PROVIDE A BETTER RESPONSE TO CINCINNATI

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INFO REQUIREMENTS:

3. I WILL CONTINUE TO DIVERT TO THE CUBAN PROBLEM AS MANY RESOURCES AS IS CONSISTENT WITH MAINTAINING OUR WORLD WIDE SIGHT POSTURE. YOUR SUGGESTIONS AND/OR RECOMMENDATIONS IN THIS REGARD ARE MOST WELCOME.

PART II FOR CRAIG AND BLOCKO.

1. YOUR ACTIONS TO DATE HIGHLY COMMENDABLE IN SUPPORT OF DIVERSIONS TO ACCOMMODATE CUBAN PROBLEM. I KNOW YOU WILL CONTINUE THIS SUPPORT FOR NSC IN CARRYING OUT HIS RESPONSIBILITIES FOR SPECIAL ATTENTION I HAVE ASKED ADM KURTZ TO PROVIDE IN PART I ABOVE. YOUR RECOMMENDATIONS ALSO SOLICITED.

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Kurtz, Craig and Klocko from Blake.

Part I for Kurtz.

1. Ref is made to your queries during my visit to your hqtrs on 14 September 62.
2. Intercept tasking of your facs involved in Cuban problem have been examined and the following can be stated:

(A). [Excised] achieve the required reporting capability, local intercept control responsibilities will be increased, although the degree of control must be regulated to preclude duplication of coverage among your facilities, ASA, AFSS [excised] facilities also tasked with Cuban targets. Also, the [excised] OPNS officers can employ NSA-controlled posits on targets of opportunity up to 24 hours without notifying this agency continue to be effective.

(B). [Excised] Cuban [Excised] is continuing on a top priority basis, the present equipment, when augmented by ADDL equip already on order, will double our processing capability and will allow for the timely [excised] Cuban [excised] intercept. To allow for the current processing effort, equip and pers were diverted from other high priority tasks to enable the processing of the Cuban take as expeditiously as possible and provide you with timely tech support. Action to forward appropriate collateral information has been expedited. Your recommendations on how this processing capability can be enhanced or tech supp improved would be most welcome.

(C). The high priority given to the Cuban problem without increased authorizations for pers has strained the SIGINT community in terms of resources avail for diversion against this target. The NSG has responded admirably to this high priority task. We look to you to continue to provide a strong element of leadership in securing most effective utilization of resources allocated to this requirement. The close liaison with CINCLANT maintained by DIRNAVSECGRULANT and NSA representatives will enable us, through their recommendations, to provide a better response to CINCLANT intell requirements.

3. I will continue to divert to the Cuban problem as many resources as is consistent with maintaining our world wide SIGINT posture. Your suggestions and/or recommendations in this regard are most welcome.

Part II for Craig and Klocko.

1. Your actions to date highly commendable in support of diversions to accommodate Cuban problem. I know you will continue this support for NSG in carrying out the responsibilities for special attention I have asked Adm. Kurtz to provide in part I above. Your recommendations also solicited.

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